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Title:	Method for Modifying an Integrated Circuit	Group Art Unit: 2825

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Mail Stop Amendment
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 30, 2005, and an interview with Examiner Siek on December 29, 2005, the Applicant elects Group 1, for further examination without traverse. Claim 28 is withdrawn from consideration.

Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.